IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Inventorship	Murren et al.
Applicant	General Electric Company
Group Art Unit	2135
Examiner	Son, Linh L. D.
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Title: Definition of Low-Level Security Rules in Terms of High-Level Security	
Concepts	

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED 1/3/2006

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action of 1/3/06, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- A) Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this communication; and
 - B) Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this communication.